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17-CARBOXYLIC ESTER 21-CARBONIC ESTERS, PROCESSES FOR THEIR
PREPARATION AND PHARMACEUTICALS CONTAINING THESE COMPOUNDS
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United
States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above
patent application.

ENCLOSURES

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
2. Specification - 74 pages, including 1 independent claim and 6 claims total.
3. Recordation Form Cover Sheet.
4. Assignment from the above referenced inventors to HOECHST AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT.

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5. Certified copy of German Application No. P 43 33 920.4 filed October 05, 1993.
6. Check in the amount of \$750.00. This represents a \$710.00 filing fee and a \$40.00 assignment recording fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

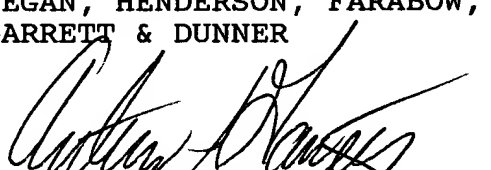
Applicants claim the right to priority based on German Application No. P 43 33 920.4 filed October 05, 1993.

Please accord this application a serial number and filing date.

Respectfully submitted,

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